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TARGETED GENETIC ALTERATIONS BY  
TRANSFER OF LONG-TERM CULTURED  
MALE OR FEMALE SOMATIC CELL  
NUCLEI, COMPRISING ARTIFICIALLY-  
INDUCED GENETIC ALTERATIONS, TO  
ENUCLEATED RECIPIENT CELLS

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